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1. Army Unit [ ] located at Hvezdov near Himon was originally a road construc-  
tion battalion, subordinated to the engineering unit at Terezin. At the present  
time Unit [ ] receives politically unreliable soldiers from all units. 50X1-HUM

2. Commanding officers are:

a. [ ] Staff Capt. Karel Zizala.

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b. Of 1st Company: 1st Lt. Suss.

c. Of 2nd Company: 1st Lt. Janko Hucik.

These commanding officers are former members of the Czech army in the USSR and  
are ardent Communists. The latter two have 15 non-commissioned officers, who  
are called instructors.

3. This unit is used for heavy work such as felling of trees mainly at the airfield  
near Kurn. This airfield is 3 km long and 1½ km wide. Three parallel runways  
are under construction for mass take-offs.

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